John K. Simpson, ISB #4242
Travis L. Thompson, ISB #6168
Paul L. Arrington, ISB #7198
Sarah W. Higer, ISB #8012
BARKER ROSHOLT & SIMPSON LLP
113 Main Avenue West, Suite 303
P.O. Box 485
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0485

Telephone: (208) 733-0700 Facsimile: (208) 735-2444

Attorneys for A&B Irrigation District

## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MINIDOKA

A&B IRRIGATION DISTRICT,	)	CASE NO. CV 2011-000512
Petitioner,	)	Fee Category L.4 - \$86.00
VS.	)	Too category E.T. \$400.00
THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES and GARY SPACKMAN in his official capacity as Interim Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources,	) ) ) )	NOTICE OF APPEAL
Respondents,	)	
and	)	
THE CITY OF POCATELLO, IDAHO GROUND WATER APPROPRIATORS, INC.	)	
Intervenors.	)	
IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR DELIVERY CALL OF A&B IRRIGATION DISTRICT FOR THE DELIVERY OF GROUND WATER AND FOR THE CREATION OF A GROUND WATER MANAGEMENT AREA	))))))	

NOTICE OF APPEAL 1

TO: THE ABOVE NAMED RESPONDENTS, INTERIM DIRECTOR GARY SPACKMAN AND THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, AND THE PARTIES' COUNSEL OF RECORD IDENTIFIED ON THE CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE; AND THE CLERK OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED DISTRICT COURT

## NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT:

- 1. The above named Appellant, A&B IRRIGATION DISTRICT ("Appellant") appeals against the above named respondents to the Idaho Supreme Court from the district court's *Amended Order on Motion to Dismiss and Motion to Strike*, entered in the above entitled action on August 29, 2011, the Honorable Eric J. Wildman presiding. Judge Wildman entered a Rule 54(b) certificate of final judgment on August 29, 2011.
- 2. The above named Appellant has a right to appeal to the Idaho Supreme Court, and the order described in paragraph 1 is an appealable order pursuant to Rule 11(a)(3), I.A.R.
- 3. The Appellant's preliminary statement of issues it intends to assert on appeal, which under I.A.R. 17, does not prevent the Appellant from asserting other issues, is as follows:
- a. Whether the District Court erred by ignoring the plain meaning of the Idaho APA in concluding that the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources did not have to dispose of A&B's petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days as required by Idaho Code § 67-5246 and IDAPA 37.01.740.02.a? Whether the petition for reconsideration was denied as a matter of law when the Director failed to dispose of the petition within 21 days as required by law?
- b. Whether the District Court erred in dismissing A&B's petition for judicial review of the Interim Director's April 27, 2011 *Final Order on Remand Regarding A&B Irrigation District Delivery Call*?
- c. Whether the District Court erred in denying A&B's motion to strike the *Affidavit of Chris M. Bromley*?
  - 4. No order has been entered sealing any portion of the record.
  - 5. (a) Is a reporter's transcript requested? **NO**

NOTICE OF APPEAL 2

6. The Appellant requests the following documents to be included in the clerk's record in addition to those automatically included under Rule 28, I.A.R.:

Interim Director's Final Order on Remand Regarding A&B Irrigation District Delivery Call (April 27, 2011)

IDWR Motion and Memorandum in Support of Dismissal of A&B Irrigation District's June 24, 2011 Notice of Appeal and Petition for Judicial Review of Agency Action (July 7, 2011)

Affidavit of Chris M. Bromley (July 7, 2011)

Petitioner's Statement of Initial Issues (July 11, 2011)

A&B's Response to IDWR's Motion to Dismiss (July 21, 2011)

A&B's Motion to Strike Affidavit of Chris M. Bromley in Support of IDWR's Motion to Dismiss (July 21, 2011)

IDWR Response to A&B's Motion to Strike Affidavit of Chris M. Bromley (July 26, 2011)

IDWR Reply in Support of its Motion to Dismiss (August 2, 2011)

Second Affidavit of Chris M. Bromley (August 2, 2011)

- 7. I certify:
- a. That the estimated fee for preparation of the clerk's record has been paid.
- b. That the appellant filing fee has been paid.
- c. That service has been made upon all parties to be served pursuant to Rule 20.

**DATED** this <u>15</u> day of September, 2011.

BARKER ROSHOLT & SIMPSON LLP

Travis L. Thompson

Attorneys for Petitioner A&B Irrigation District

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the <u>ISE</u> day of September, 2011, I served true and correct copies of the *Notice of Appeal* upon the following by the method indicated:

SRBA District Court	U.S. Mail, Postage Prepaid
253 3 <sup>rd</sup> Ave. North	Hand Delivery
P.O. Box 2707	Overnight Mail
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-2707	Facsimile
	Email
Garrick Baxter	U.S. Mail, Postage Prepaid
Chris Bromley	Hand Delivery
Deputy Attorneys General	Overnight Mail
Idaho Department of Water Resources	Facsimile
P.O. Box 83720	Email
Boise, Idaho 83720-0098	
garrick.baxter@idwr.idaho.gov	
chris.bromley@idwr.idaho.gov	

Jerry R. Rigby	Randall C. Budge	Sarah A. Klahn
Rigby Andrus & Rigby Chtd.	Candice M. McHugh	Mitra Pemberton
25 N 2 <sup>nd</sup> East	Racine Olson	White & Jankowski LLP
Rexburg, Idaho 83440	P.O. Box 1391	511 Sixteenth Street, Suite 500
jrigby@rex-law.com	201 E. Center Street	Denver, Colorado 80202
	Pocatello, Idaho 83204-1391	sarahk@white-jankowski.com
	rcb@racinelaw.net	mitrap@white-jankowski.com
100	cmm@racinelaw.net	
A D		
A. Dean Tranmer		
City of Pocatello		
P.O. Box 4169	a the first control of the second	eta <mark>ki li jim alikula kulond</mark> a ka inga mata mata mata mata
Pocatello, Idaho 83201		The state of the s
dtranmer@pocatello.us		

Travis L. Thompson